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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
John B. FERBER ) Group Art Unit: 3622  
Application No.: 09/716,563 ) Examiner: CHAMPAGNE, Donald  
Filed: November 20, 2000 ) Confirmation No.: 7535  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR )  
AN E-MAIL AFFILIATE PROGRAM )

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Sir:

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AND  
WITHDRAWAL OF FINALITY OF OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action dated August 2, 2004, Applicant requests  
reconsideration of the above-identified application as follows:

**Remarks/Conclusions** are included in this paper.